

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Sachi A. Hamai, Executive Officer-Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration Los Angeles, California 90012

At its meeting held April 1, 2008, the Board took the following action:

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The following item was called for consideration:

The Chief Executive Officer's recommendation to adopt resolution supporting the County's participation in the SB 81 Pilot Project administered by the Corrections Standards Authority (CSA) for an Adult Day Reporting Center; authorize the Chief Probation Officer to accept \$5 million in grant funding for a pilot project available through SB 81 for the period administered by CSA; also authorize the Chief Probation Officer to fill nine grant-funded full-time equivalent positions for Fiscal Year 2008-09, in excess of what is provided in the Department's staffing ordinance, subject to allocation by the Department of Human Resources; and authorize the Chief Probation Officer to execute the County's SB 81 Pilot Project program agreement, amendments, related documents, or extensions with CSA, and to modify the Pilot Project Plan consistent with grant requirements.

Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

"The overall purpose of Senate Bill 81, administered by the Corrections Standards Authority, is to test models for reducing the number of offenders sentenced to State prison. The County's pilot program proposes the creation of a Day Reporting Center to provide evidence-based interventions targeting gang-involved male probationers between the ages of 18 through 25 with at least one and one half years left on formal probation.

"The program will be imposed as a condition of probation at the time of sentencing and/or upon probation violation. In the interest of balancing public safety with the goals of this program, probationers with firearms violations, who pose a greater degree of threat to public safety, should be excluded from this program. Additionally, the Board should receive periodic reports on the status of the pilot."

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After discussion, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Yaroslavsky, unanimously carried (Supervisor Molina being absent), the Chief Executive Officer's attached recommendation was approved as amended to limit the selection of the target population by excluding probationers with firearms violations and the Chief Probation Officer was requested to provide periodic status reports of the SB 81 pilot project to the State and to the Board.

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Attachment

Copies distributed:

Each Supervisor
Chief Executive Officer
County Counsel
Chief Probation Officer